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## AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner  
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Sir:

This amendment is responsive to the Office Action of June 4, 2004.

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In the Abstract of the disclosure:

Replace the following Abstract for the present one:

-- Abstract of the Disclosure

In a SFN cellular broadcast system, a system for implementing a bidirectional personalized channel with subscribers, comprising: A. a unit for allocating a first group of subcarriers to the broadcast transmission and a second group of subcarriers to the personalized channels; B. a unit for reducing interference in the broadcast channel using an equalizer; and C. a unit for reducing interference in the personalized channel using a controlled allocation of subcarriers in the second group to each subscriber. In a broadcast SFN system using OFDM transmission from a base station to subscriber units, a system for achieving a bi-directional channel comprising a transmitting unit in the subscriber units for a transmission of signals orthogonal to the signals transmitted from the base station, and a receiving unit in the base station for receiving the orthogonal signals.--